

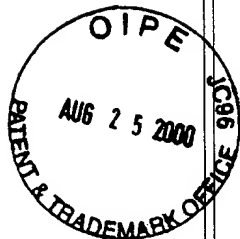
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Application No.: 09/407,666 ✓

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DEVICE WITH BAR CODE READER  
FOR OBTAINING PRODUCT  
INFORMATION  
FROM MULTIPLE DATABASES

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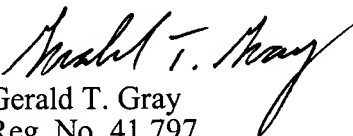
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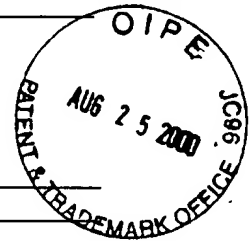
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